

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
MECHANICAL BOARD**

1511 Pontiac Avenue, Bldg 70, 2nd Floor Conference Room

Cranston, RI 02920

Wednesday, December 4, 2013

9:00am

In attendance: Dennis Brennan

Timothy Byrne

Stanley Davies, Chair

Robert Eva

Fred Foeri (arrived 9:11am)

Steven Gray

Bobby Joe Harris

Michael Januario

Jack King

Quinlan T. Regan

Charles Wright

**Also in attendance were Nick Ranone, Chief Mechanical Investigator;
Mary Ellen McQueeney-Lally, DLT Legal Counsel; Joseph Degnan,
Assistant Director (exit 9:27am return 9:36am) and John Shaw,
Administrator**

1. – Call to Order: Stanley Davies called the meeting to order at 9:07am.

2. – Minutes of November 6, 2013 meeting: Motion was made by Bobby Joe Harris to accept the minutes of the previous meeting of November 6, 2013 as presented, seconded by Charles Wright and passed unanimously by the Board.

3. – Conflict of Interest – Legal Counsel will address the Board concerning compliance with conflict of interest requirements: Mary Ellen McQueeney-Lally, DLT Legal Counsel, addressed the Board reminding board members they are subject to the ethics rules. If a member has a conflict with anything coming before the board, they need recuse themselves from hearing the matter and voting on the matter. Legal Counsel is available for any questions.

4. – HEARINGS:

Everett C. Brown – Violation 4696: Respondent does not appear. Nicholas Ranone, Chief Mechanical Investigator, is sworn in for testimony. Mr. Ranone reads the violation.

Date Written: 10/8/2013; Violation 4696

Name of Violator: Everett C. Brown, 302 Leahs Lane, Blairsville, GA 30512-0533

Location of Violation: Lusitania Club 10 Chase St. Cumberland, RI 02864

VIOLATION: On 10-4-2013, I, Nicholas D. Ranone, visited the Lusitania Club in Cumberland, RI and met with the club President, Mr. Henrique Craveiro. Mr. Craveiro showed me a Weil McLain boiler that was installed by a Mr. Edward Inscoe and handed me a job invoice that was written by Mr. Inscoe to the Lusitania Club on 10-15-2012, stating the installation of one (1) Weil McLain 155 gas fired hot water boiler. Mr. Everett C. Brown did take a permit out with the Town of Cumberland (permit # M12-2228) on 11-29-2012 for the installation of the Weil McLain 155 boiler for the above mentioned address. The mechanical permit was taken out for Mr. Edward Inscoe (EM Handyman) who contracted and engaged in the installation for the Lusitania Club 10 Chase St. Cumberland, RI. This is three (3) violations of RIGL 28-27-21 Grounds for Revocation of License, (3), (4), (6).

At the present time Mr. Brown does have outstanding violations with this Department, therefore all violations will be assessed at \$950.00. Three (3) violations at \$950.00. Total \$2,850.00.

The Board questions Nicholas Ranone regarding notice of today's hearing. The Board continues questioning Mr. Ranone. There is

discussion.

Regarding Violation 4696 against Everett Brown, Tim Byrne made a motion that violation of RIGL 28-27-21 Grounds for revocation of license did in fact occur; seconded by Charles Wright and passed unanimously by the Board.

There is discussion.

Tim Byrne made a motion pertaining to Violation 4696, violation of 28-27-21, that the fine of \$2,850.00 be upheld; seconded by Charles Wright and passed unanimously by the Board.

The recommendation will be forwarded to the Director's office.

End of hearings.

**** Charles Wright addressed the Board and requested two items be put on the next agenda: Discussion of possible limited Fire Sprinkler license and Discussion of Rules and Regulation changes.**

The Board has discussion.

5. – ADJOURNMENT: A motion to adjourn was made by Charles

Wright; seconded by Bobby Joe Harris and passed unanimously by the Board. The meeting adjourned at 9:37am.